


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA


Case No. 00-6243-CR-ZLOCH

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)
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v.)
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PHYLLIS PITTMAN,)
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Defendant.)
_____)



GOVERNMENT'S RESPONSE TO THE STANDING DISCOVERY ORDER

The United States hereby files this response to the Standing Discovery Order. This response also complies with Local Rule 88.10 and Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 16, and is numbered to correspond with Local Rule 88.10.

- A. 1. Any written statements made by the defendant are being provided to counsel for defendant in the attachments to this Response.
2. Copies of statements made by the defendant to individuals known by her to be law enforcement officers are being provided to counsel for defendant in the attachments to this Response.
3. The defendant did not testify before the Grand Jury.
4. At the current time, the government is not aware that the defendant has a prior arrest and conviction record. Should that change, the
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government will immediately provide counsel for the defendant with information regarding the defendant's prior arrests and convictions.

5. Books, papers, documents, photographs, tangible objects, buildings or places which the government intends to use as evidence at trial to prove its case in chief, or were obtained or belonging to the defendant may be inspected at a mutually convenient time at the Office of the United States Attorney, 500 E. Broward Blvd., Suite 700, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33394. The undersigned has temporarily scheduled the discovery conference for September 19, 2000, at 11:00 a.m. Should counsel for the defendant wish to keep this appointment, he should call to confirm the appointment at least forty-eight (48) hours in advance. If this date and time are not convenient for the defendant's counsel, he may contact the undersigned to schedule a mutually convenient time.
 6. Defendant voluntarily submitted to a polygraph examination administered by the FBI. The polygraph administrator determined that the defendant was being deceptive.
- B. DEMAND FOR RECIPROCAL DISCOVERY: The United States requests the disclosure and production of materials enumerated as items 1, 2 and 3 of Section B of the Standing Discovery Order. This request is also made pursuant to Rule 16(b) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure.
- C. The government will disclose any information or material which may be favorable on the issues of guilt or punishment within the scope of Brady v. Maryland, 373 U.S. 83 (1963), and United States v. Agurs, 427 U.S. 97 (1976).
- D. The government will disclose any payments, promises of immunity, leniency, preferential treatment, or other inducements made to prospective government witnesses, within the scope of Giglio v. United States, 405 U.S. 150 (1972), or Napue v. Illinois, 360 U.S. 264 (1959).
- E. The government will disclose any prior convictions of any alleged co-conspirator, accomplice or informant who will testify for the government at trial.

- F. The defendant was not identified in a lineup, show up, photo spread or similar identification proceedings.
- G. The government has advised its agents and officers involved in this case to preserve all rough notes.
- H. The government will timely advise the defendant of its intent, if any, to introduce during its case in chief proof of evidence pursuant to F.R.E. 404(b). You are hereby on notice that all evidence made available to you for inspection, as well as all statements disclosed herein or in any future discovery letter, may be offered in the trial of this cause, under F.R.E. 404(b) or otherwise (including the inextricably-intertwined doctrine).
- I. The defendant is not an aggrieved person, as defined in Title 18, United States Code, Section 2510(11), of any electronic surveillance.
- J. The government has ordered transcribed the Grand Jury testimony of all witnesses who will testify for the government at the trial of this cause.
- K. The government does not know of any automobile, vessel, or aircraft allegedly used in the commission of this offense that is in the government's possession.
- M. The government is not aware of any latent fingerprints or palm prints which have been identified by a government expert as those of the defendant.
- N. To date, the government has not received a request for disclosure of the subject-matter of expert testimony that the government reasonably expects to offer at trial.
- O. The government will make every possible effort in good faith to stipulate to all facts or points of law the truth and existence of which is not contested and the early resolution of which will expedite trial. These stipulations will be discussed at the discovery conference.
- P. At the discovery conference scheduled in Section A.5, above, the government will seek written stipulations to agreed facts in this case, to be signed by the defendant and defense counsel.

The government is aware of its continuing duty to disclose such newly discovered additional information required by the Standing Discovery Order, Rule 16(c) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, Brady, Giglio, Napue, and the obligation to assure a fair trial.

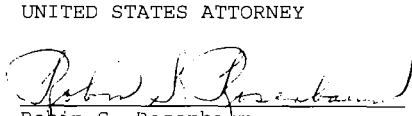
In addition to the request made above by the government pursuant to both Section B of the Standing Discovery Order and Rule 16(b) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, in accordance with Rule 12.1 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, the government hereby demands Notice of Alibi defense; the approximate parameters of when the offenses occurred are outlined in the indictment.

Documents Bates-numbered 1-1259 and two videotapes are being provided to counsel for defendant along with this Response. Counsel for defendant should contact the undersigned AUSA if he does not receive the documents identified above.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing
was sent by inter-office mail to Tim M. Day, Esq., Federal Public
Defender's Office, 101 N.E. 3rd Avenue, Suite 202, Fort Lauderdale,
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